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Petition for One-Month Extension of Time

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a), to extend the due date for filing a Response to Office Action in the above-referenced application. The extension would move the due date from September 21, 2000 to October 21, 2000. A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time is enclosed.

Although we believe that we have appropriately provided for any fees due in connection with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to/from our Deposit Account No. 501136. Two originally-executed copies of this form are being submitted. Should there be any questions after reviewing this paper, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 617-951-6676.

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